

ADMIRAL DEWEY HAS SIMPLE PARTY ON HIS BIRTHDAY

High Navy Officers Present
Their Good Wishes at
Veteran's Office.

Admiral George Dewey hoped to buckle down to hard work today. It was his seventy-fifth birthday, but the distinguished seaman saw no reason why that should interfere with the call of duty. However, it did, for reasons which shall be herein stated luminously.

When the admiral reached his desk in the office of the general board in the Mills Building, he had scarcely time to unravel the first knot in the convolutions of red tape before the long line of "friendly visitors" began to form. Then they began to stream in, including Admirals Arker, Mason, Twining, Fletcher, Colvocoresses, Vreeland, Hutchins, Cane, Captains Pett, Winterhalter, Fuchter, Chief Constructor Watts, Surgeon General Stokes, Gen. John M. Wilson, the Rev. James P. Macdonald, H. J. Ziegemeier, Lieutenant Commander T. C. Craven and Leonard R. Sargent, and scores of others.

Simple Birthday At Home.

It was past noon when Admiral Dewey was able to leave his office for his home, where, in accordance with his wish, the observance of the anniversary was simple.

Admiral and Mrs. Dewey will give a small dinner tonight for a few of their friends and relatives. No other observance is planned at the home, although numerous friends are being received this afternoon.

Admiral Dewey was born in Montpelier, Vt., on this day in 1837, and graduated from Norwich University in 1858. He was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1860, and was attached to the fleet of the Mediterranean squadron until 1861. He was married to Susie Goodwin, daughter of Gov. Josiah Goodwin of New Hampshire, in 1867, but his wife died four years later. He was married the second time to Mrs. Mildred McLean Hassen in this city on November 4, 1888.

Served With Farragut.

He was in Farragut's squadron which forced the passage of Fort San Philip and Port Jackson in April, 1862, and participated in the subsequent fights with gunboats and ironclads which gave Farragut possession of St. Orleans. He was promoted to be commander in April, 1872, and was captain in September, 1884. He was commodore in February, 1888, and in January, 1898, assumed command of the Asiatic squadron.

It was on this detail that he sailed into Manila Bay on May 1, 1898, and completely annihilated the Spanish Admiral's squadron under Admiral Mon-tero. This has gone down in American naval annals as one of its most celebrated victories. He was immediately promoted to the rank of rear admiral, and was thanked by a resolution of Congress.

He was made Admiral of the Navy on March 2, 1900, and has been president of the General Board since March 22, 1900.

TWO EXHIBITION DRILLS AT FORT

Special Band Concerts While
Troopers Make Daring
Rides.

Two exhibition drills will be given at Fort Myer today, the first commencing at 2:30 this afternoon, being supplemented by a second this evening at 8 o'clock in order to accommodate the numbers of applications for tickets.

Special band concerts by the Fifteenth Cavalry Band will be given before each exhibition, and will play during the different drills. The program will include a musical ride, Troop A; bareback riding, Troop B; tandem driving, Troop C; and a solo performance by the United States Artillery, jumping competition, by members of the cavalry regiment, and musical drill, Troop C.

In the jumping contest riders will be required to clear a brush hurdle, a four-foot imitation of a stone wall, and a double hurdle, called "a pig pen." The exhibition is open to the public, but tickets must be secured in advance. These may be obtained on application to the adjutant.

SWISS CHARGE HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED

Henri Martin Will Go to Montreal
As Consul
General.

News was received in Washington today that Henri Martin, charge d'affaires of the Swiss legation here, had been transferred by his government to Montreal as consul general, and that Ernest Baumann, secretary of the Swiss legation at Paris, will take his place here.

Society will regret the departure of Mr. Martin from the city, owing to his deep interest in the sports and in social affairs. He was one of the promoters of the Washington Skating Club, which is now preparing the Washington horse show grounds for ice skating, and interested a number of prominent society people here last winter in skating, the national sport of Switzerland.

Life-Saver Who Rescued 200 Drowns in Ditch

NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 26.—Claude Broffal, aged thirty-seven, who was found dead in a shallow ditch where he had drowned, was identified today as a former Atlantic City life-saver. He had saved 200 persons from drowning during seven years' service.

Pet's Bite Kills Seaman.

GULFPORT, Miss., Dec. 26.—Bitten at sea ten days ago by his Scotch terrier, Capt. N. Hohen, master of the Norwegian bark Sophie, died here today of hydrophobia. When the symptoms of the dread disease first appeared, the Sophie was far from land. All mail was crowded on her, but the disease was too far gone to combat when the vessel arrived here yesterday.

Celebrating Birth Anniversary



ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.
Hero of Manila Bay Who Has Reached His Seventy-Fifth Milestone.

ANACOSTIA ORDER ATTENDS FUNERAL

Electa Chapter, Eastern Star, Sends Delegates to Services
Over Mrs. M. Agnes Dodge—Epworth League
Makes Gifts to Old People.

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU.
ANACOSTIA, D. C., DEC. 26.—Funeral services for Mrs. M. Agnes Dodge were held today from the Garden Memorial Presbyterian Church, in Minnesota avenue, the Rev. George M. Cummings, the pastor, officiating. Electa Chapter, No. 2, Order of the Eastern Star, had representatives at the services, as Mrs. Dodge was a member of the chapter. The burial was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Dodge was the wife of Wilbur S. Dodge, who is connected with the Washington Navy Yard. She died at her home, 1115 W street, on Tuesday morning, after a lingering illness. Four children survive her. They are Mrs. Myrtle Litherland, Mrs. Lella White, Miss Isora Dodge, and Wilbur and Gordon Dodge. The deceased was Mrs. Goodwin before her marriage, and was of a well-known family here.

One of the pleasant incidents of Christmas at the home for the aged and infirm, at Blue Plains, D. C., was the visit there of members of the Epworth League connected with the Congress Heights Methodist Episcopal church, who took with them 300 well-filled bags containing fruit and sweetmeats for the old people. There was a bag provided for each inmate, and the young people went from place to place about the home distributing their gifts with a zest, which was added to by the appreciative manner in which the aged folks received the offerings.

Those of the Epworth League who went down to make the distribution were Hazel Magruder, president; Miss Florence Gude, Samuel Houston and Miss Margaret Vansie.

Miss Gladys R. Wright and James A. Faithful were married on Christmas eve at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wright, the parents of the bride, in Nichols avenue, in the presence of a family party. The Rev. Harry G. Spencer, of Westminster, Md., former pastor at Congress Heights M. E. church, officiated. He was assisted by the Rev. Merritt Earl, the present pastor. The bride is a popular young girl of the community, and Mr. Faithful is connected with the Southern railway offices in Washington. They will live for the present with her parents of the bride, both young people have resided here since childhood.

Elizabeth Owens, white, thirty-eight years old, was informed that her husband was locked up in one of the city stationhouses yesterday and, it is alleged, she sought relief from her husband by imbibing some Christmas liquor. She then went to consult a lawyer.

HYATTSVILLE MEN WIN HIGH HONORS IN MILITIA SHOOT

Three Expert Riflemen, Captain, Private, and Sergeant, Qualify on Range.

A notable feature connected with the report of the season's work of the organizations of the Maryland National Guard at the state rifle range was the splendid showing of Company P, First Regiment, of Hyattsville, Md., though it has been in the service but a few months.

The average obtained by the Hyattsville aggregation was 71.51, and the only infantry company in the entire State to improve it were Companies A and E, of the same regiment, stationed at Frederick and Elton, respectively, both veteran companies.

There were three expert riflemen in the company, Capt. Oswald A. Greaser, leading with 85 points, Private F. T. Stephenson standing second with 82, and Sgt. G. B. Morse being third with 81. Private H. A. Rowell obtained the sharp shooter grade with 261 points, and thirty-four members of the company qualified as marksmen.

In view of the short service of the company, its work on the range is considered phenomenal. The commanding figure of merit was one of the best obtained by any Maryland guardsmen during the season. The Hyattsville company were present at the range during the season, the largest number sent by any company.

YALE STUDENTS DUE IN MORNING

Dramatic Club Will Present Comedy at Columbia Theater.

The Yale University Dramatic Club, which is scheduled to give a performance of Tolstoy's comedy, "The Fruits of Culture," at the Columbia Theater tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, expected to reach Washington about 8 o'clock tomorrow morning, and to make its headquarters at the Hotel Powhatan.

Arrangements for the entertainment of the college boys have been made by C. C. Clover, Jr., the club manager. They will remain here until Saturday morning when they go to Baltimore to give a performance of the comedy. The itinerary of the club this year includes twelve cities in the Eastern States, and from Springfield, Mass., which they visited before Christmas, have come reports that the Yale players and their acting were received with much enthusiasm. This is the first time that the Tolstoy comedy has ever been produced in America, though it met with much success on the Russian stage.

Uncle Sam's Marines In Constantinople Row

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 25.—Several marines from the United States converted yacht Scorpion had an altercation with some persons in a public building, ending in blows.

The incident is said to have occurred at the military attaché of the Spanish legation.

EXTRA BIG SPECIALS FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

A & P Fine
Patent Flour,
1-8 sack .. 72c

Iona
Tomatoes,
3 cans for .. 25c

Brookfield
Eggs, Guaranteed, doz., 28c

Plan Live Fox Hunt
For Next Saturday

Arrangements have been perfected for a live fox hunt by members of the Hiding and Hunt Club, of Washington, next Saturday over a course beyond Chevy Chase.

Fifty riders having signified their intention to attend.

Snow has aided in opening the woods and promises to provide additional seal to the hunters. It is said that the hunt will be unusually interesting. Many ladies of the club are expected to be present.

Socialists to Meet.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—Many delegates have arrived in New York today to attend the fourth annual convention of the International Socialist Society, which will hold its sessions here tomorrow and Saturday.

BE SUSPICIOUS OF ANY CHRONIC ULCER

Any sore that is obstinate or slow in healing should cause suspicion and put the sufferer on guard. Many an ulcer which could have been cured if it had been properly treated, in time, has been allowed to remain open until it became infected with some degenerative poison from the outside which made it a malignant, eating sore.

Most old sores come from an impure and polluted condition of the blood and can be healed if the circulation is cleansed and purified of the predisposing cause. To attempt to cure a chronic ulcer with salves, washes, lotions, etc., is trifling with what may become a serious condition. S. S. S. heals chronic ulcers in a perfectly natural way. It goes down into the blood and removes the impurities and morbid matters which are the means of keeping the place open; then the sore is bound to heal.

Not only does S. S. S. cleanse the circulation but it restores its healing powers, and aids in promoting the necessary qualities for good health. S. S. S. builds new flesh tissue from the bottom of the ulcer to the outer skin and makes a permanent cure. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write and request same.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

SUFFRAGETTE ARMY PLANNING HIKE TO NATIONAL CAPITAL

Head of Albany Marchers Will Come for Wilson Inaugural.

HUDSON, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Only five miles through the snow confronted the women pilgrims carrying the "message to Sulzer" when they left here today, rested and refreshed with the over-Christmas festivities, stockport was the destination, it having been decided by Gen. Rosalie Jones that from now on the trip will be made as easy as possible, and with Albany only thirty miles away, and the party not due at the capital until next Wednesday, the daily jaunts will be only long enough to keep the party in condition.

The success of the present "hike" had emboldened General Jones and her aides, and they are now looking on Washington with longing eyes. The lively little leader of the party insisted today that she would organize a walking party to go from New York to Washington, leaving the metropolis about the middle of February and reaching Washington before March 4.

The walking was better today, as the roads between here and Albany, although deep in snow, have been well broken by heavy traffic.

Cupid had himself some strategical when he broke through the ranks of the army and captured Miss Gladys Courson, a Vassar College girl, a leader of Poughkeepsie society, and one of General Jones' most able aides.

It must be admitted that Cupid was reinforced by Griffith Bonner, who has hiked over the mud and snow-covered roads for the last four days at the side of Miss Courson. But Cupid has limped in the rear and only overtaken the army as it bivouacked at the Worth House here over Christmas.

The announcement of the engagement of Mr. Bonner, who is a prominent amateur golfer and secretary of the Equal Suffrage League, of Poughkeepsie, and Miss Courson was made while the weary marchers were gathered at a Christmas party given in the parlors of the Worth Hotel by General Jones.

This was but the anti-climax of the day, however, for the real surprise came when General Jones and her forces defied all precedent and the supposed laws of nature by going to the charity ball and not uttering a word for an hour. The Hudson society folk stood in open-eyed amazement, and would not believe their ears.

Quickly Ends Piles and Barber's Itch!

No discovery of the present century has been so universally welcomed by physicians and sufferers alike as Dr. Hehr's Ungoid. This is a truly marvelous remedy for Eczema, Itching Piles, Poison Ivy, Prickly Heat, Barber's Itch, Tetter, and Pooria. It stops the most terrible itching the moment it is applied. Ungoid is as good for the skin trouble that makes little babies fret as it is for the older folks with itchy, itchy feet. Ungoid applied to itchy or itching feet relieves instantly. Ungoid heals Burns, Boils, Cuts, Wounds and Sores without fire or scarring. Ungoid eradicates effects of Bites of Insects and Mosquitoes. Ungoid cools, soothes and heals joyfully. No matter what you have tried without success, get Ungoid today and live in peace.

Ungoid is sold by all Druggists at 50c a jar or will be sent postage prepaid by The G. C. Bittner Co., Toledo, Ohio, on receipt of price.

10c

The jewelry left over from Xmas—the 5c and 10c lots reduced to 10c. See tables near elevator on first floor. Look for other tables—all filled with really good bargains.

THE GREATER

PALAIS ROYAL

A. LISNER Hours 8 to 6 G STREET

Now to think of ourselves. How about the poor, strained and tired eyes? No charge to consult the noted eye specialist, Dr. Ralph Martin. Office in first floor balcony. Hours, 9:30 to 5:30.

Tomorrow—Christmas Money Doubled in Value

At \$20.00

Suits and Coats that were \$40 are now \$20.

At \$5.00

The Hats to wear with them—\$5 instead of \$10.

12½c to \$2 Handkerchiefs, 9c, 18c, 39c

—Just a Hint of the Reduced Prices for Left Over Christmas Things

Seal Coats at One Fifth Off the Price

Deduct One-Fifth

—from the price marked on any coat

To deduct 20 per cent from the price marked on any one of these Hudson Seal Coats means that you will purchase at least 33 per cent less than at the specialty stores. The cost of such coats is considerable, and a little "shopping" can be indulged in with profit. Compare quality, styles, and prices with the coats of other reliable shops. Then decide.

Marked	Deduct One-Fifth
\$275.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$220.00
\$195.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$156.00
\$175.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$140.00
\$150.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$118.00
\$135.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$102.00
\$125.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$93.75
\$95.00—with one-fifth deducted.....	\$71.25

The Girl of 1913



Parisian Jewelry is not only the world's best reproduction of the precious metals and stones—but it is unique. Unique in one somewhat strange respect—it is worn by the elite. Samples of this season's Parisian Jewelry—facsimiles of the ancient and modern—are offered at nominal prices, in three grand lots.

Lot No. 1 \$4 **Lot No. 2 \$2** **Lot No. 3 \$1**
Worth to \$10 Worth to \$5 Worth to \$3

The lot at \$4.00 for choice will be in "Tiffany Room," first floor, northeast section. No attempt is here given of descriptions—other than to assure facsimiles of all the last-moment styles of real gold jewelry, with and without jewel settings. To select from are exclusive one-of-a-kind styles of French enameled chatelaine watches, gold and jeweled hair ornaments, neck bands, lavallieres, some with cameos; Oriental lavallieres, Egyptian bar pins, jeweled lockets, earrings, brooch pins, plaque pendants, jeweled neck chains, lorgnettes, slipper buckles, hat pins, and bracelets. Note that the finger rings, cuff links, and scarfpins are of solid gold.

The lots at \$1.00 and \$2.00 for choice are to be conveniently arranged on tops of the glass show-cases in center aisle, facing G street entrance. Note that the finger rings are set with semi-precious stones, guaranteed for five years. Also look for unique bracelets, rosaries, belt pins, bar pins, lavallieres, beauty pins, brooch pins, hatpins, locket chains, 54-inch watch chains, slipper buckles, cuff links, scarfpins, mesh bags, vanity cases, dress pin sets, earrings, snake chains, soutoir chains, etc.

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